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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2008 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)		Docket Number (Optional) C0989.70054US00	
Application Number 10/622,076-Conf. #1842		Filed	July 17, 2003
For METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR ANALYZING POLYMERS USING CHIMERIC TAGS			
Art Unit 1637		Examiner	A. M. Bertagna
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.			
The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):			
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X Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.			
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